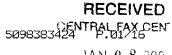
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#### **AMENDMENTS**

### **Introductory Comments**

In reply to the Office Action of October 8, 2003, applicant amends and remarks as follows.